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Applicant: Jarrell, Kevin A., *et al.*
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

This Office Action Response is filed in response to the Office Action mailed October 30, 2008, rejecting claims 1, 2, 4, 5, 12, and 14-21.

The deadline for responding to the Office Action is January 30, 2009. Applicants hereby petition for a three (3) month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). A Petition for Three Month Extension of Time and required fees are being filed herewith via the USPTO EFS credit card payment option. Thus, Applicants submit that the present Response submitted on April 30, 2009 is timely.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.